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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Robert B. Beatty
Shoichi KOYAMA, et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Application No.: 10/664,888	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 4258
Filed: September 22, 2003	)	
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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS,	)	January 23, 2006
CONTROL METHOD FOR IMAGE	:	(Monday)
FORMING APPARATUS,	)	
DEVELOPING APPARATUS, AND	:	
MEMORY MEDIUM	)	

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
AND  
AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated September 21, 2005, to January 21, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 for payment of the one-month (1-month) extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application, as follows.

Amendments to the Title:

Please amend the title of the invention to read, as follows.

AN IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS DETERMINING AN INDICATING  
LEVEL OF A UTILIZED AMOUNT OF A DEVELOPING APPARATUS AND A  
CONTROL METHOD THEREOF ~~CONTROL METHOD FOR IMAGE FORMING~~  
~~APPARATUS, DEVELOPING APPARATUS, AND MEMORY MEDIUM~~